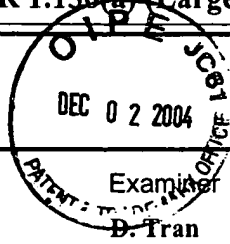


**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
112857-1450

In Re Application Of: Kitamura et al.



Application No.  
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Invention: **PRINT OUTPUT CONTROL APPARATUS, PRINT OUTPUT CONTROL METHOD, AND  
COMPUTER-READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM RECORDING PROGRAM HAVING PRINT OUTPUT  
CONTROL CAPABILITY**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 28, 2004 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month    ☐ Two months    ☐ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: October 28, 2004  
*Date*

until: November 28, 2004  
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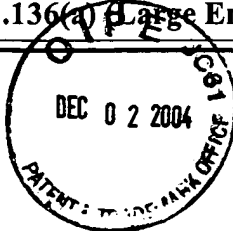
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**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

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TOTAL CLAIMS	8 -	20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	0 -	3 =	0	x \$88.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$110.00
<b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b>					<b>\$110.00</b>

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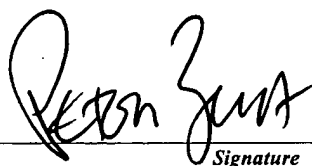
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-1818 in the amount of \$110.00
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.
  - ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
  - ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No.
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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